# LETTERS FROM TWO STATES.

## WINDHAM COUNTY.

MOOSUP

Eugene Beaudry's Sudden Death-Religious and Personal Interests,

Miss Amy R Tillinghast, Miss Mary A. Fjurphy and Miss Mary C. Waters, local teachers, were guests of Miss Margaret J. Sullivan, principal of the Plainfield schools, last Monday eve-

ning.

The body of Eugene Beaudry, who died suddenly at the home of his sister, Mrs. Levi Bibeau, was taken to his home in Putnam Tuesday afternoon. Services were held in that city, where he has resided for a number of years. Mrs. C. A. Sanderson visited Wednesday at the home of her brother, Alfred Hill, on the Green Hollow road.

Affred Hill, on the Green Hollow road.

Andrew Archer of Harrisville, R. I. spent Sanday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Archer, on Lake street.

Mrs. John Smith of Black Hill has been the guest of Misses Abbie and Mytrie Medbury.

John Wynn has finished work in the woolen mill and gone to Thompsonville where he has secured a situation. Mrs. Wynn and baby are staying at the former's sister's Mrs. William Bellavance, for the present.

Frank W. Emerson, superintendent of the weaving department at the woolen mill, was taken Monday to his home in Lawrence, Mass., where he submitted to a surgical operation The operation was successful and the latest reports from him are favorable.

Gone to California.

Gone to California. Mr. and Mrs. John Milner started last Saturday for Pasadena, Cal., where they will spend the rest of the winter as guests of the Hon. Edwin

There was a meeting of the woman's missionary reading circle on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. H. A. Roberts.

The Baptist people held a neighborhood prayer meeting Wednesday evening with Miss Hattie Hyde.

The B Y. P. U. meetings are held Sunday evening at 6 o'clock in the

## CANTERBURY.

Arthur C. Bennett May Have Contracted Sparlet Fever While Buying

Birthday Party. A birthday party on Saturday, the 12th, was given by Mrs. Buss at the home of Martin Lyon, in honor of Mrs. Buss' birthday. There were eighteen present in the afternoon and sixteen in the evening. There was a supper of baked beans, clam chowder, ice cream, cake, etc. Mrs. Buss received many useful and handsome presents.

Town Clerk Hoxsie lost one of his handsome black horses last week, one of a span which Mr. Hoxsie gave \$500 for seven years ago.

Miss Maude Barstow is in New
Hampshire, caring for her mother,
Mrs Keen, who is very ill.

Miss Magna, the teacher at No
18, is boarding at W. N. Medbury's.

## WARRENVILLE

Forty-five Cases of Messles in Tw - Valentine Social-Grange

Forty-five cases of measles have been eported in this village and vicinity during the past two weeks.

Rev. Bertram C. Bugbee is spending this week in Providence, R I.

Mary Howlett has been assisting Mrs. E. L. James with housework for a few

H. Bennette worked for Judge O. F. H. Bennette worked for Judge O.
D. Baker on Monday.
The Ladies' Aid society met at Baker's hall on Monday afterneon of this week. There was also a valentine social in the hall the same evening.

Ashford Grange, No. 30, held a special meeting at Baker's hall Saturday evening.

day evening.
School began Monday afternoon, after a week's vacation.
Mrs. Hattie C. Platt spent a few days last week in the James family, carring for those who are very ill with mensies. Mrs. S. L. Case is very sick with Frank Gaylor had the misfortune to lose his horse on Tuesday of this week. George O. Balch made a trip to Willmantic Tuesday.

## THOMPSON

Rubber Social-Miss Anna Larned Gives Talk on Mission Work.

Mrs. C. I. Ramsey and Miss Violet Geissler have been visiting in Ber-wick, Me. Elmer C. Burgess was the guest over Sunday of relatives in Fall River. F M. Knight has been kept from his duties at the store by a hard cold. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whiteley's lit-tle son, Walter, has been ill the past

George Bates has been confined to the house by a sprained knee, injured

The Baptist young people held a rub-er social in the town hall Friday night.
Mrs. Dexter Elliott and her daughter ratum this week from a visit to relatives in Brooklyn.
Mr. and Mrs. Churies Arnold of

Grosswardale visited the former's mother, Mrs. M. P. Arnoid, Sunday. The porior of the Congregational church was well filled Wednesday aftchurch was well filled Wednesday afternoon when Miss Anna Larned of Grand View, Tenn., addressed the woman's missionary society. She has been a teacher in the south for ten years and gave an interesting talk in an especially attractive manner. The school children were allowed to stiend in a body by the closing of the school after recess.

A social hour followed the lecture birs. E. S. Backus as hostess served tea. A solo by Mrs. R. C. Paine was enjoyed by all.

## SOUTH KILLINGLY

Despondent, Eugene Beaudry Cuts His Throat-Valentine Social - Fudge

On Tuesday night Eugene Beaudry, who lives on the South road, got discouraged and cut his throat with a sazor. He was able to walk afterwards, but died in a few hours. He was siene when the tragedy happened, and according to the story of French scopic in the house at the time, was not feeling well. He boarded at Frank Bodo's. The valentine party at the church Saturday night was unusually success-

Miss Harriet Blackman gave a fudge party at the Congregational par-sonage Thursday evening. H. S. Twitchell of Montchie, N. J.

has purchased a local farm and is to make many improvements. D L. Blackman went to New Hart-ford Monday.

## BROCKLYN.

Detained on Visit by Quarantine-Jo-seph M. Wentworth Had Disastrous

Detained on Visit by Quarantine—Joseph M. Wentworth Had Disastrous Fire—Prisoner Escaped from Jail, But Was Recaptured.

Mrs. G. F. Genung returned home from her daughter's, in Medford, Mass, on Thursday, the 10th, having been defined by a case of diphtheria in the family found just at the time of her arrival, and the board of health placed a quarantine upon the house and its occupants. She was obliged to remain until that was raised. The one case was all that occurred.

Was Sleeping in Burning Home.
On Tuesday late in the evening the house of Joseph Wentworth, situated in the house of Joseph Wentworth was sleeping in her house soundly, and was only as wakened when his near neighbor broke in the window near file bed from the barn just in time, as in a few moments the barn was a mass of flames. Mr. Wentworth saved only a few articles of clothing, a writing desk and his pocketbook with about a few articles of clothing, a writing desk and his pocketbook with about a few articles of clothing, a writing desk and his pocketbook with about a few articles of clothing, a writing desk and his pocketbook with about a few articles of clothing, a writing desk and his pocketbook with about a few articles of clothing, a writing desk and his pocketbook with about a few articles of clothing, a writing desk and his pocketbook with about a few articles of clothing, a writing desk and his pocketbook with about a few articles of clothing, a writing desk and his pocketbook with about a few articles of clothing, a writing desk and his pocketbook with about the transmitted of the fire is a mystery.

Mrs. Brank Thayer of Putnam visited the relatives.

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Mrs. Frank Thayer of Putnam v

Escaped and Recaptured. Escaped and Recaptured.

On Saturday evening James Flynn, a prisoner at the jail, who on the 21st day of December, 1909, escaped from a keeper while employed at labor outside, but who was on the same day recaptured, was brought before T. D. Pond, justice of the peace, upon a complaint of Samuel Bradford, grand juror, charged with theft and escape from jail, to which complaint he entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to jail for sixty days and to pay costs of \$7.96.

Arthur Clarence Bennett has the scarlet fever. It is thought the young man caught the disease while in Williamantic or Norwich, buying raw furs, as he travels and has been to a number of places lately. The house is under strict quarantine. There is a family of seven children on one side of them and a family of four children on the other side.

The Rev. and Mrs. George E. Smith were visitors Tuesday at Crystal Spring farm.

C. Freemont Smith was a business caller Monday at the capitol and in Willimantic and Jewett City

Birthday Party.

In sixty days and to pay costs of \$7.90.

The Woman's club of Brooklyn, Ct., met the 14th with Mrs. J. Sprague Bard, it being adjourned from the 7th on account of the absence of the president, Mrs. Genung, and the sickness of the secretary. Miss A L. Hyde. The roll call was quotations from old scrapbooks. Miss Frances L. Palmer read a paper on Pottery. Miss Charlotte Palmer read a paper for Mrs. H. W. Maine on the Capture of Ticonderoga.

OBITUARY.

Miss Georgianna A. Spalding.

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Miss Georginna A. Spalding died on Tuesday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank A. Spaulding. Her funeral was held Thursday afternoon, and Friday the body was taken to Nor-wich for burial in the Hamilton avenue

wich for burial in the Hamilton avenue cemetery in the family plot.

On Wednesday Michael Caffrey, on complaint of A. J. Greensilt of Hampton, procescuting agent, was brought before Theodore D. Pond, justice of the peace, charged with the illegal sale of cidar and with the keeping for sale, to which complaint he pleaded guilty, and the court imposed a fine of \$20 and costs of \$1479, which were paid.

## DAYVILLE.

John Wood Loses Two Fingers at Mill -Meeting of Thimble Club.

Mrs. Frank J Burnett is confined to the house with a severe attack of rheumatism.

end at Versailles and brought home his wife and bables, who had been spending some time there.

John Wood lost his finger while repairing a loom at the Assawaga mill on Tuesday.

Mrs. James Grady is it.

Mrs. James Grady is III. William Grady spent Sunday at his

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bidwell spent Ar. and Mrs. W. F. Blowell spent Sunday in Providence.

Inspector Clark Campbell visited the Killingly postoffice on Thursday.

Marshall Eennett from Glasgo spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. Reynolds, wife of Rev. W J.

Beynolds was called to Glaversellie Reynolds, was called to Gloversville, N. Y., by the death of her father. Mrs. Vanderman returned to Gloversville, N. Y., on Friday morning. The Thimble club met Wednesday afternoon with Miss Florence Rollison.

## STERLING

Funeral of William MacDowell-Epworth League Social.

Measies are still prevalent. There are several cases of a severe nature. The attendence at school is still very Miss Louise Parsons returned to Phompsoaville on Monday. The funeral of William MacDowell was held from the Sterling M. E hurch Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m. The deceased leaves three sons and a daughter. Burial was at Occum. Rev. O. H. Green is ill. A student Boston university supplied pulpit Sunday Mrs. Fred Denison and daughter of Westerly, R. I., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baker. Miss Mannie Carroll is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jesse Tootill. Mrs. Irving Anderson, who has been Ill is much better.
The Epworth league social was held on Friday last, at the home of Miss Mar- Nichols There was a good at-tendance and a very enjoyable evening was passed.
Miss Ida A. Carpenter is ill with

## HAMPTON

Lumbering Operations,

George E. Nicholis, Frank Palmer, George Cosgrove, Ephraim Doris and J. F. Hyde are engaged in cutting logs for shingle at the Cedar Swamp. Louis Fitts is hauling logs for W. Louis Fitts is hauling logs for W. H. Phillips.

Mr. Tuttle has a large gang of French-Canadian woodshoppers engaged cutting cordwood for his brickyard in Middletown. in Middletown.

W. H. Jewett of Clark's Corners was
in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Kenyon are
spending a couple of weeks at Mrs.
Kenyon's mother's, Mrs. R. J. Nicholls,

## POMFRET CENTER

A number of the pupils at Hamlet odge school are sick with measles. Mrs. John Smith has returned from a visit in Norwich and Moosup.
W. P. Brown of New York visited
E. E. Brown the past week.
Joseph Scott has been ill with grip.
Andrew Carlson visited Boston the

Must Have Fire-Eaters. There is talk of remodelling the house of lords, "on the pian of the American senate." Who is going to be the Beh Tillman of the new organization:—Philisdelphia Inquirer,

## CENTRAL VILLAGE TOLLAND COUNTY.

Birthday Dinner With Twin Sister-Mrs, Evelyn Allen's Death.

Mrs. Julia Wilbur is visiting her twin sister in Providence. They will have a birthday dinner with a friend in Centerville, as has been the custom to spend their birthdays together since they ware children.

Mr. and Mrs. William Medbury of Canterbury have been guests of local relatives.

Clement Smith is visiting relatives in Newton, Mass.

Harry Cady has purchased the Boutelle property of Charles Brennan, and Carl Caldson has bergained for the property of George Thurber, the latter owned by William Thurber of Brooklyn

Winthrop C. Aldrich returned Wedneeday from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Pomiret and Killingly. Several from here attended the con-cert in Putnam Tuesday evening, giv-en by the Board of Trade Glee club of Worcester. Owing to the illness of Rev. John

Mrs. Granville Perry is the guest of er son, H. J. Potter, at Mt. Vernon,

## SOUTH WOODSTOCK.

Supper and Social at Vestry-End of Sleighing.

Mrs. Emma Sheldon has been in New York for a few days. A bean supper and social was held at the vestry on Friday night by the Young People's league. Elsmer E. MacLellan is about again after a few days' illness.

Harry Young and family of Putnam were recent guests at Milton Litchfield's. Stephen A. Clark has recovered from his iliness and went to New York on Tuesday. Austin Young is caring for Lakeside.

Henry Young left home on Sun-The trustees at the D. A. R. chapter meeting on Thursday evening were Mrs. F. W. Bennett and Mrs. David Chase of Day lie.

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## WESTMINSTER

Church Asks Mrs. Smith to Join Her Husband in Pastorate.

The church held a special business meeting on Wednesday afternoon, and the members expressed their consent and wish for Mrs. A. A. Smith to join her husband in the present pastorate about April 1. Lincoln memorial Sunday was ob-served on Sunday with a special pro-gramme published by the American Misionary association.

There was no session of the local Sunday school on Sunday owing to the small attendance at church.

There was a social at the parsonage on Tuesday evening.

Miss Magner teacher in this dison Tuesday evening.

Miss Magner, teacher in this district apent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.

William Medbery.

Arthur Bennett is ill with scarlet Mrs. A. A. Smith spent Wednesday at the parsonage, but returned to Leicester Mass., Thursday. Mr. Willett is spending several weeks with his family in New York. Charles Dewing is taking charge of the stock, poultry, etc., during Mr. Wiltt's absence. Jack Nison is in New York.

# RAWSON

Commemoration of 15th Wedding Anniversary-Good Fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Stone celebrated their 15th wedding anniversary Thursday evening, entertaining 75 guests. They received many useful tokens. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Phillips had as their guests on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Lamphere of Chaplin.

Miss Annie Lathrop spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Hartford and South Manchester.

Chadle Lee of Natchaug is assisting Chadle Lee of Natchaug is assisting Eduard Berggren on his farm. George Kimball is still confined to Frank Phillips and Frank Melvin on Bigelow pond Wednesday caught 28 bickerel, weighing from 11-2 to 2 lbs. Moses Kenyon was the guest of his sister. Mrs. William Clapp of Willi-mantic, over Sunday.

## ATTAWAUGAN

Church Aid Society Meets-Death of Mrs. Joseph Holland.

The Church Aid society held a meet-ing in the vestry Wednesday after-The choir held a rehearsal at Hen-ry Pray's Friday evening, Feb. 11th. Miss Gertrude Waterhouse has join-Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Holland sold all their furniture, intending to go to Lawrence on account of Mrs. Holland's illness. She grew worse and could not be moved, and died Feb. 11th at the home of Jerome Wellett. The body was sent to Lawrence for burial. Mrs. Lesh Jetty has been ill. Victor Bridges of Scranton, Pa., will make his home with his aunt, Mrs. Charles Weeks of this place.

Edwin Knight is working for Andrew Barber of Putnam.

STORRS.

Success of Military Bell and Minetre Show-Prof. Renshaw Addresses the

Success of Minstrel Show.

The minstrel show for the benefit of the Athletic association was held Saturday evening, Feb. 12. Solos were given by C. M. Sharpe, E. H. Forbush, R. B. Sherman, A. J. Bundage, end men, Shutz and Schoffeld of the chorus, and D. P. Upham, interlocutor. Among the songs sung were Next to Your Mother Whom Do You Love, Cubanela Glide, Don't Be Anybody's Moon But Mine, and Big Brown Booboo Eyes. The jokes were catchy and enjoyed by all. The show was a success financially.

Mrs. Charles Thom held a plane re-cital of her music pupils in her parlor on Saturday last. For most of the pu-pils it was their first appearance in public and they did exceedingly well.

Whist Follows Sleighride. Mrs. W. M. Esten entertained the la-dies on Monday by giving a sleighride to Spring Hill, where the ladies of the Baptist church provided a supper. On the return of the party to Mrs. Esten's house the evening was spent in playing

whist.

At a special meeting of Mansfield Grange, No. 64, on Monday evening the third and fourth degrees were conferred on H. E. Botsford in full form.

Mr. Botsford left on Tuesday to take a position near New York.

Among recent visitors at the college were Sara Treadwell, Miss Wadhams, Miss Barlow, G. H. Hollister, M. L. Hungerford and Irving Patterson.

The Misses Rose of Bridgeport were guests of Prof. G. H. Lamson.

Address on Denatured Alcohol. Owing to the illness of Rev. John
Miller there have been no services at
the Methodist church for two Sundays.

Mrz. Frank A. Jordan had the New
Boston Library social at Fairholm on
Friday evening. It was a valentine affair.

Thirty-two of the young friends of
Carld Morse surprised him at his home
last Friday evening, the occasion belast Friday evening, the occasion belast Friday evening. Games were
played and cake and coffee were served.

Address on Denatured Alcohol.

Professor Renshaw of Wesleyan university addressed the Faculty Scientific
club on Tuesday evening on the manufacture and use of denatured alcohol.
The lecture was profusely illustrated
by the use of lantern slides and exhibits of raw material, finished products
and articles in which alcohol is a part
or has been used in their manufacture.

COLUMBIA

Sale of Byron Green Place—Town Pays

Sale of Byron Green Placs—Town Pays \$80 for Sheep Killed by Dogs.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schillinger en-tertained friends from Rockville last

S. E. Winter has been making re-pairs and improvements on his house in Pine street.

Pine street.

The snow storm of last week furnished the first fairly good sleighing of this winter.

Mrs. Mitchell and her three sons spent seevral days with friends in Saybrook recently.

Alonzo Little, who has been an inmate of a private hospital at Willimantic for the past two weeks, has returned home much improved.

First Selectman F. B. West spent several days last week with friends in Providence. Providence.

The farm property owned and occupied by the late Byron Green located a short distance over the town line in Lebanon, has been sold to New York purchasers.

Heid.

Mrs. Albert Pinney, who is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Peck, in Courtland, N. Y., has been very ill and under the care of a trained nurse.

Amherst B. Scovell was recently given an order on the town treasurer for \$80 for sheep killed by dogs last

Promotion for Raymond D. Tucker. Raymond D. Tucker, formerly of this place who for some time has been engaged in Y. M. C. A. work in New York, has been promoted and will go to Cadliac, Mich., in March to engage in the same work.

The preparatory school in Hebron which has been closed for several weeks on account of an epidemic of measles, is to be reopened on Monday next. The school is attended by a number of people from this place.

"Severed Its Connection." The weather vane on the Columbia Congregational church spire, which for some time has been badly bent and partially broken, severed its connection with the spire Sunday night and is now lodged on the church root.

# BOLTON

Evening of Cards and Dancing-Wed-

ding Anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Strong entertained a large party of friends at their home Tuesday evening. The evening was devoted to dancing and card playing, refreshments being served and the evening was much enjoyed by all Mr. and Mrs. John W. Massey cele-

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Massey cele-brated the sixty-third anniversary of their marriage Monday, February 14. A large delegation from Bolton grange attended the meeting of East Central Pomona grange in East Hart-ford Wednesday. Miss Maude El. White has returned from a visit in Windsor and Hartford. Mrs. G. E. Baker, who has been vis-iting in New York, the past month, has returned home.

## EAGLEVILLE. New Engine at Eagle Mills-Lighting Company Improving Equipment.

A new and up to date engine is be-ing installed in the Eagle mills. The old one, which has been used for sev-eral years, proved inadequate. Three cases of scarlet fever are reported in the family of Tax Collector J. C. Green, who lives on the road leading to Mansfeld Depot.

The Rockville, Willimantic Lighting

company the past week has had men in its employ changing the crossarms on the pole, longer and heavier crossarms being required.

Mrs Fred O. Vinton has been confined to the house for the past week by illness. Henry Morin on Wednesday moved his family to the village of North

## STAFFORD.

Miss Shippey Gives Pupils a Valentine Party-Local Interests.

Harry Keuhl visited friends in New Harry Keuhl visited friends in New York over Sunday.

Rev. W. H. Rider, D. D., of Gloucester, Mass., will preach in the Universalist church next Sunday.

The last lecture of the season given under the auspices of the P. and H. U. society will be given by Sylvester A. Long on Lightning and Toothpicks. Mr. Long is a man of keen wit, rare ability and attractive delivery.

The primary grade of the Pinney grammar school were given a treat last Monday by their teacher. Miss Bianche Shippey, who had arranged a valentine party for their amusement.

## MANSFIELD DEPOT

lev. Leonard Smith Continues as Trustee of Dunham Fund-Opposed by Certain Parishioners.

Success of Military Ball and Minetrel Show—Prof. Renahaw Addresses the Faculty Club.

The annual military ball was held on Friday evening, Feb. 11. The committee of arrangements, Lieut. J. B. Ash-cratt, Sergeant H. E. Winship, Corporals C. T. Senay, P. R. Seeley and M. A. Wadhams, ably managed the affair. The decorations were simple and consisted of the new stand of battalion colors over the platform. A large flag was sushpended from the ceiling, and on the walls were crossed rifles. The grand march was led by Major H. D. Edmond and Mrs. Charles Thom, followed by the battalion officers, The figures were unique, ending with the formation of a large U. S. The patroneses were Mrs. C. L. Beach, Mies A. T. Thomas, Mrs. C. A. Wheeler, Mrs. G. H. Lamson, and Mrs. L. A. Clinton. Music was furnished by Helmold's orchestralice cream was served during the intermission and punch throughout the evening.

Success of Minstrel Show,

The minstrel show for the benefit of the convention, and makes it the state, convention, and makes it the state, convention, and makes it the state, being organized for that purpose and will administer at no coat, and has in trust a legacy left by Fiben Duncham for the benefit of the convention is the logical trustee of all funds left to Baptist churches in the state, being organized for that purpose and will administer at no coat, and has in trust a legacy left by Fiben Duncham for the benefit of certain churches. Rev. Mr. Smith's church being one. The above church was organized by Trustee Smith and is a child of the First Baptist church of Mansfeld, of which he is pastor. Being grieved over the controversy he has the subject of his resignation under advisement.

Broke Through lee.

Lioyd Thompson and Harry Bonney

Broke Through Ice. Lioyd Thompson and Harry Bonney had a narrow escape from drowning on Saturday while fishing through the ice where the water was from 6 to 8 feet deep. The ice gave way, plunging them into the water. With great difficulty they reached shore, breaking the ice with their hands, their clothes freezing to them. The ice being covered with snow deceived the boys. There is much sickness in the village,

lage.

There was but one service at the church Sunday, owing to prevailing colds and nearly impassable roads

Lawrence Shuman is in New York, taking a course of osteopathic treatment. He is reported improving.

## ELLINGTON

Wedding and Birthday Anniversaries Celebrated-Funeral of Arthur A.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller were given a surprise on the anniversary of their silver wedding by the members of the choir and literary club and a few other friends. It was also their birthday. Some handsome silver presents were given them. The presentation was by Rev. D. E. Jones

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson were present. It was the fortieth anniver-

present. It was the fortieth anniver-sary of their wedding. Refreshments were served. Benjamin Nangle is recovering from an attack of scarlet fever.

Arthur A. Hyde's Death.

Word was received here this week of the death of Arthur A. Hyde of Hartford, formerly of this town He leaves beside his wife, two sons and one daughter, Empson of Hartford and Dr. Oliver E. of Arizona, and Mrs. Keyes of Des Moines, Ia., and one grandchild. The funeral was held in Hartford on Wednesday afternoon and the body placed in the receiving vault.

A valentine social was given by the Y. P. S. C. E. Monday evening in the town hall. The entertainment was by the society of Broad Brook, which gave a two-act farce.

The townspeople responded well to the raising of a sum of money to enable Olin Shearer to find his horse. Deputy Sheriff Watkins and R. A. Siker are looking for it. This idea is principally to protect other people who hitch their teams under the church sheds. Arthur A. Hyde's Death.

sheds.
Theodore Geary has entered the employ of the Knox auto works in Springfield.

# STAFFORDVILLE

Preaches-Kemp-Stone Wedding. Rev. Miss Stone entertained a party of twenty-six local young people at her home recently. Refreshments were served and a most excellent time was

The fine sermon last Sunday morning in the Congregational church by Rev. Miss Jones was a fine tribute to the triumphs of Lincoln's religious

## WEDDING.

Kemp—Stone.

A very pretty home wedding took place at Fairview, Mass. Wednesday evening, Feb. 9, when Miss Elsie L. Stone was united in marriage to Charles R. Kemp of Holyoke, Mass., formerly of Staffordville, Rev. E. A. Reed of the Second Congregational church of Holyoke performing the ceremony. The single ring service was used under an arch trimmed with hemlock and white carnations and a bell. The bride was beautifully attired in white silk trimmed with oriental lace and wore a long white brided veil. She carried white carnations. The brides maid was Mrs. Anna Stone, sister-initial wof the bride. She wore blue silk trimmed with white lace and carried pink carnations. The best man was Merton A. Stone of Fairview, Mass. Mrs. Frank Warner of Holyoke played the wedding march. About sixty guests were present. After congratulations were present. After congratulations were extended to the newly wedded couple, a bountiful luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. Kemp left immediately for their wedding tour. The bride's traveling suit was dove color. They were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts. On their return they will reside in Fairview, Mass.

# GURLEYVILLE

Ladies' Benevolent Society Held Social
-Mrs. Simonds Fell Down Stairs-Last Quarterly Conference. Miss Lila Simonds of Willimantic has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Sim-

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Simonds.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Church and son of Chaplin were the guests of Miss C. N. Turner Tuesday.

An enjoyable social was held at the conference room Friday evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Social Benevolent society; \$6.25 was added to the treasury. Mrs. G. R. Dimook and Mrs. F. C. Parker were the hostesses.

Mrs. H. E. Simonds had the misfortune to fall down the ceilar stairs last week. No bones were broken, but she received a number of bruises which have laid her up for a few days.

Mrs. Edward Walker is confined to the bed by illness.

Mrs. Edward Simonds is recovering from an attack of tonsilitis.

Edmund Avery of Coventry is a guest of Henry Nason.

Mrs. Norman Stoughton, who has been a guest of Mrs. Sarah Hanks, has returned to her home in Manchester.

Supt. Rev. J. H. Newland held the last quarterly conference for the year with the M. E. church Wednesday evening.

wening.

Mrs. C. E. Dodge spent the day on
Wednesday with friends on Wormwood Henry Dunham of Mansfield Center was at home Sunday. Varcaman Has a Monopoly.

## SOUTH COVENTRY

Two Scarlet Fever Cases — Memorial Ladies' Aid Society Elected Officers—
Meeting of W. C. T. U. — Whist Church Building Committee Met.

Miss Ethel Huil of Wallingford spent
Sunday at her home.

Two cases of scarlet fover are reported in the family of George Swift of South street, two of his children being fill with the disease. The South street school has been closed.

The Ladies' Reading circle met with Mrs. Light at the Congregational parsonage on Thursday.

On Friday Mrs. Mason entertained members of the local W. C. T. U. and other invited guests at her home, the occasion being the annual free swill offering and Frances E. Willard memorial meeting.

Mrs. William O'Brien and two children are with her parents, Mr. and dren are with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Kenyon; vice president. Grace Covell; troasurer, Miss Annie E. Kenyon; secretary, Miss Eva Franklin,

fering and Frances E. Willard memorial meeting.

Mrs. William O'Brien and two children are with her parents, Mr, and Mrs. J. F. Young, for a short stay.
Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien are moving from East Hampton, Mass., to Hartford.
Mrs. F. J. Tracy entertained at whist on Wednesday afternoon. Out of town friends were present from Williamntic and Baltic.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark and children of Stonington have moved into this village.

Mrs. C. Kenyon Wednesday evening.
Clara Webster of Providence was a visitor at her father's over Sunday.
The church building committee met at Dr. Kenyon's Wednesday evening.
J. S. Lamond visited at Westerly.

## SOUTH WILLINGTON

George and Martha Washington to Hold Reception-Various Lotal Items.

Hold Reception—Various Lotal Items.

Mrs. Chadles Nichols, agent at this station, is supplying at West Willington during the illness of Agent George P. Bugbee.

The Y. P. S. C. E. is planning to hold a social on Washington's birthday, Tuesday evening. The president and vice president, representing Martha and George Washington, together with Uncle Sam and Columbia, will receive representatives of all nations.

Miss Alice Knox of Hartford spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Dimock.

Arthur L. Spicer is working in the engine room for G. Hall, Jr. & Co., for a few days.

Lester R. Weeks, employe in the machine shop for G, Hall, Jr. & Co., is taking a vacation.

Harry Denman is laid up with a sprained ankle, due to a fall.

Mrs. James G, Service, Jr., who has been suffering from a severe attack of grip, is improving.

The place of organist at the Sunday school was acceptably filled by Miss Julia Kneeland last Sunday, in the absence of the regular organist. Miss Alice Denman, who was in Willimantic.

Miss Ida Hall has been visiting her

Miss Ida Hall has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ralph Paige, in Spring-field, Mass. WILLINGTON

Christening of Twin Boys - Valentine

Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Gardner christened Michael and John, the twin baby boys of Mr. and Mrs. Savor, who live on the Whitford place.

The Ladles' Mission Circle met on Thursray ofternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Endeavor Mission study class met Monday evening at the home of the president and the leader, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer J. Mathews.

The valentine social Tuesday evening was a success.

Saturday.

Miss Hattle E. Hewitt visited friends in Groton last week.

There has been no school in district No. 6 this week on account of the illness of the teacher, Miss Marguerita B. York. She expects to be able to resume her duties next Monday.

Miss Bernice Hewitt is ill and unable to attend the high school in Willimantic.

A good representation from Lebanon grange attended the joint assetors.

Personal Mention.

HOPKINTON of Vital Statistics for 1909

The vital statistics of this town for 1909 have been recorded in the town clerk's office and the returns sent to the office of the state board of health in Providence. Twenty-seven marriage were record-

ed All the contracting parties were white. In 25 cases the marriage of both groom and bride was the first. In one case the groom had been di-vorced and in one the bride was a widow. The oldest groom was 43 and the oldest bride 47. The youngest groom was 20 and the youngest bride 17. Nine brides were older than their Thirty-nine births were recorded, all

Thirty-nine births were recorded, all of white children; males 17, females 22. Three females were stillborn. The oldest father was 47 and the oldest mother 45. The youngest father was 21 and the youngest mother 17. Thirty-one were born of purely American parentage, of foreign born parents 5, and 3 of mixed parentage. Forty deaths were recorded, of which 39 were white and one black. Thirteen were males and 27 females.

Of the males, 3 were married, 2 widowers, and 8 single. Of the females, 10 were married, 10 widows and 7 single. Thirty-nine were natives of America and one of Ireland. Eight were under one year old and thirteen over 80.

Diseases of the heart caused the death of 7, cancer 4, old age 6, stillborn 2, la grippe, chronic nephritis, enter-itis and cholera infantum 2 each, pneumonia 4, and one each of eight other diseases.

Personals.

John E. Wells and family visited in Perryville from Friday to Monday last. Henry J. Wheeler of Ashaway was a business caller in the village nesday.

Rev. E. P. Mathewson occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church on Pendieton Hill Sunday morning in the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. Howard

## ESCOHEAG

Sudden Death of Mrs. Edwin C. Hawes. Sarah J., widow of Edwin C. Hawes summer resident at Beach pond, diesaran J., widow of Edwin C. Hawes, a summer resident at Beach pond, died suddenly at her Providence home. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Alice Coller, and three granddaughters, Three times in the past year death has visited this house. Early in the spring of 1909 E. C. Hawes died, and about two months later Mr. Coller, the son-in-law, died very suddenly.

er Mr. Coller, the son-in-law, died very suddenly.

John Ray Barber has entered the employ of the Ocean Seamship company on its southern lines.

Mrs. J. R. Barber has been in Providence the past week, the guest of Mrs. William H. Joyce.

John Palmer of Providence, who was guried at Wood River cemetery last week, was a native of this place.

There were no services at the church last Sunday. Elder Woodmansee is at Pascoag, R. J., conducting a revival. School at the Hornbeam schoolhouse opened for the spring term Monday.

## ROCKVILLE

No church services were held here last Saturday, on account of the storm.

Mrs Claude Hopkins visited at Ashaway Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Sunderland of Wickford is visiting at Benjamin Kenyon's.

Erlo G. Barner drove the mail on Wednesday, during the absence of the regular driver. Those senatorial aspirants in Mis-sissippi must feel the need for a nerve Wednesday, duri tonic at this time.—Birmingham News. regular driver.

## USQUEPAUGH

Wille Locke, who has been sick for the last ten weeks, remains about the

J. S. Lamond visited at Western Monday. Joseph Bagley is on the sick list.

Begins Teaching After Six Weeks' Vacation.

ARCADIA

Mrs. E. H. Tefft began her school duties in the Lewis district Monday, after a vacation of six weeks.

George Bennett and family of Votuntown have moved to this place and will work in the mill.

Mrs. Jane Hadfield is ill with a complication of diseases,

Loseph James an exed resident of Joseph James, an aged resident of Willow Valley, is ill with pneumonis. Harold Burber, who has been ill with malarial fever the past three weeks,

# NEW LONDON COUNTY.

LEBANON

Interests of the Churches-Mrs. Mary Gray Taloott's Death.

The sermon last Sunday by Rev. E. B. Smith on The Mysteries of Religion was a strong one, drawn from the text found in I Tim. 3:2.

Rev. E. B. Smith will be absent from his pulpit tomorrow (Sunday). His place will be filled by Rev. Mr. Miller of Hartford.

Priends of Mrs. Mary Gray Talcott in this vicinity, her mative town, were shocked at the news of her sudden death in Hartford. Her sister, Miss Ellen B. Huntington, and S.W. Throop, a cousin, attended the funeral last Saturday.

the president and the leader, Mr. and Mrs. Elimer J. Mathews.

The valentine social Tuesday evening was a success.

Save for a display of flangs here and there, Lincoln day was not observed.

Mrs. Evans of Andover is with her daughter, Mrs. R. R. Pratt.

Mr. and Mrs. Harding Hutching who have been at Rest cottage have returned to New York.

The sudden death of Lawyer Wesley Stout at Asbury Park, N. J., was caused by acute indigestion. He ate his dinner, went soon afterward to the prayer meeting, was taken in great distress and died before reaching home.

Mr. Cosgrove enjoyed his visit to the agricultural college at Kingston, R. L. last week.

WASHINGTON COUNTY, R. I. There was no service at the Baptist church Sunday on account of the pastor's health.

Word is received from Various and the pastor's health. tor's health.

Word is received from Vernon of the continued illness of William Avery.

Mrs. Alice Peckham, who is in Vineland, N. J., is ill.

BOZRAH Many Attend Auction-Grange Inter-

The auction at John Stanton's Wed-nesday was largely attended. 'Miss Alice Bishop is in Yantic for a

Paid Attention to the Hog. The grange held its meeting Wed-The grange held its meeting Wednesday evening. The lecturer's hour was taken up with The History of the Hog by Alice D. Abell, also what constitutes a good hog, by several speakers. A paper of the Modern Hogs was read by C. A. Lathrop, One application was received.

A number from the Bosrah grange attended the New London County Pomona held in Norwich Thursday.

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## Miss Bertha Miner is visiting in Davisville, R. I. Eleazer Spicer of Scott Hill is seriously ill at his home.

LEDYARD Frederick W. Burton Appointed Forest

Fire Warden. Rev. A. J. Chandler of New London was a visitor Tuesday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Holdridge. Mr. Chandler was formerly pastor of the Old Mystic Baptist church. The selectmen have appointed Fred-crick W. Burton town forest fire war-

den for 1910.

The Ladies' Aid society met at the parsonage on Wednesday.

Mrs. William I. Allyn and son speni. Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Allyn's cousin, Mrs. Hadlai C. Hull, of New London. Several from this town attended the Peckham auction at Laurel Hill Tues

Charles P. Whipple has recently sold his farm to Stamford purchasers.



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